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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yasuji TAKETSUNA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2834

Application No.: 10/522,109

Examiner: E. PRESTON

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Docket No.: 122487

For: MOTOR FOR VEHICLE

SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicants' representative conducted a personal interview with Examiners Preston and Tamai on June 6. Applicants appreciate the courtesies shown to Applicants' representative by Examiners Preston and Tamai during the personal interview. Applicants' separate record of a summary of the substance of the personal interview is contained in the following remarks.

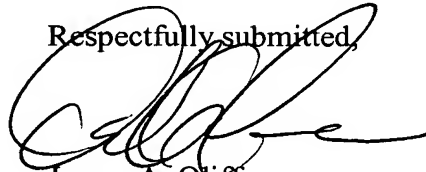
Applicants requested the personal interview to review the substance of an Amendment, filed with a Request for Continued Examination, on May 22, 2006. Specifically, Applicants' representative reviewed the claim amendments and the arguments presented in the May 22 Amendment with the Examiners. Applicants' representative particularly noted the limited applicability of U.S. Patent No. 5,632,157 to Sekino et al.

The Examiners indicated that the amendments to the claims may overcome the rejection of the claims under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) as being anticipated by Sekino. The Examiners further indicated that arguments presented traversing the prior art rejections of the

Office Action under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent No. 6,515,384 to Kikuchi et al. would have to be more fully considered.

Should any questions arise regarding this communication, all inquiries may be directed to Applicants' undersigned representative at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,



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